

EDITORIAL

It's incredible. We can hardly believe it, but we are quite overjoyed as we begin to realize more and more what a wonderful thing has come to pass.

In past years, editors of The Panther have thundered about lack of school spirit, and according to those who were there at that time, morale was low. But this year it is just the opposite. Whether it is the lesser number of students or not, school spirit is still at its highest tide in many, many years. The Associated Students have become a compact body in which everyone knows everyone else, and in which co-operation on all matters is a matter of course, not an issue which must be debated upon and constantly stirred with an editorial stick or faculty admonition.

Whiskerino, Ribbonero, Field Day, and the dances were put over with a terrific, spontaneous surge of student enthusiasm which subconsciously has kept raising student spirit. Now the Pajamarino is looming before us and all factors point to a repetition of history.

Another remarkable aspect of this roseate scene is the fact that scholastic activities have not been neglected for social maneuvers. The faculty has had little cause to complain about neglect of the more important of the two aspects of collegiate existence.

All this, of course, is occurring during these serious war times, when heavy problems constantly weigh on all students' nerves, keeping them mindful of their brothers overseas. All the more

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FINALS

First Semester Finals Schedules Are Posted

Although the semester seems to have just begun, the tentative schedule for final exams has already been posted in several of the classrooms by the administration. According to the plans, finals will begin on Thursday, January 13. As usual, there will be no regular classes held during exam week. Students are asked to report any conflicts in the time exams are held so all necessary changes may be made. The final schedule will be printed in a later issue of The Sentinel.

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Pajamarino Plans Are Set For Spectacular Evening

Refreshments, Band, Events Set For Evening "Out of This World"; Get Those Outlandish Pajamas!

Come one! Come all! Get those outlandish pajamas! Dance! Serpentine! Be "Out of This World" . . . but with completeness! At a meeting of committee heads for the annual Frosh Pajamarino last Tuesday at 2:00 in Room 25, various problems pertinent to the affair were settled and final plans laid for the long-awaited event.

Admissions were set at \$1:00 per couple and 75 cents stag, due to the considerable size of the expenditures for the rather lavishly planned affair.

A schedule of the events was drawn up beginning with the Serpentine at 7:00, participants to assemble at an appointed place downtown and then, with a band and police escort, to follow a course from the corner of Gabilan to the corner of San Luis, and then back and down Alisal to the campus where the bonfire will be lighted at approximately 7:45. There will be traditional "Burning of the Dinks" ceremonies and a program around the bonfire which will end at 8:15, at which time the dance will begin somewhere "Out of This World."

It is planned to serve fresh apple cider and doughnuts instead of the regulation soft drinks, but this is still tentative.

Martin. Blatt, entertainment chairman, has arranged for an

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Staff of La Reata Takes Trip to S.F. For Conference

The La Reata staff, composed of Bettie Moore, Margery Williams, David Hill, Jim Armstrong and "Pete" Borough, advisor, were in San Francisco on Wednesday, November 3, to meet Mr. V. Carmichael, engraver of the yearbook. Following the conference in the morning, the staff spent the afternoon shopping and eating in Chinatown.

Due to the shortage of funds there are plans underway for dances and picnics to secure the necessary money. Students are requested to please co-operate by lending any pictures which they have taken this semester.

Margery Williams has been appointed chairman for Sophomore pictures and will make further announcements concerning them in the near future.

PLANS

Extensive Plans For Post-War JC Campus Given

Rumors as to post-war plans for the Salinas Junior College have been numerous and varied and no one knew just what to expect. Now, at last, we have been able to get, and from a very authoritative source, the main plans proposed for the improvement of the college.

We have been informed that the school board is trying to put aside sufficient funds to expand the school's facilities to meet the increase in enrollment anticipated immediately following the end of the war. Incoming high school graduates will probably raise the number of students enrolled to 1,000 and students coming from other sources will more than likely increase that number to well past 1,500. Obviously for a student body of this many persons the college would have to be expanded considerably in order to take care of them.

A number of new buildings are proposed, among them a series of shops to be located south of the gyms on the 15-acre field which was recently purchased by the college. Included in this series will be an auto mechanics shop, and electronics shop (for this will probably be the big field of thought for the coming years), and a farm machinery shop. In these shops the students will be able to get all the practical experience as well as theoretical training.

There are also plans for en-

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COMMISSION

Plans for Winter Ball Discussed At A.S.C. Meet

The regularly scheduled meeting of the student commission was held last Tuesday from 11:00 to 11:30 in the student finance office. There were only two major topics under discussion.

It was decided to send a letter

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J.C. Ensemble Gives Concert

The Salinas Junior College Ensemble gave its second concert of this year at the United Presbyterian Church, Salinas, Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. Solos were presented by Maisie McCann, flutist, and Elinor Smith, cellist. The entire program was as follows:

1. Spring Blossoms, Idyl, by Hersom.
2. Amourette, Valse Petite, by Klemm.
3. Amour Coquette, by Friml. Maisie McCann, flutist.
4. The Young Prince and the Young Princess, Third Movement From Scheherazade, by Korsakoff.
5. Kashmiri Song, by A. W. Finden. Elinor Smith, cellist.
6. Romance, by G. B. Martini.
7. Intermezzo Portia, from the Merchant of Venice Suite, by Rosse.

The complete sensemble is composed of Angela Morasca and Clydene Merrill, violins; Maisie McCann, flutist; clarinets, Martin Blatt and George Elliott; Elinor Smith, cellist; pianists, Frances Phillips and Virginia Welty; and violinist and director, Lorell McCann.

YELL

New Yell Leader, Anita Vosti is Game Highlight

Though nursing a sore throat all week, S.J.C.'s newly appointed yell leader, Anita Vosti, proved herself capable of her position Saturday night at Esjaysee's initial home football game of the year with Hollister J.C. at the Lettuce Bowl.

Anita is a Freshman at J.C. and hails from Gonzales. A highlight of the rooting section was at the half when Anita called on Clyde "Lefty" Downey, also from Gonzales, and a J.C. yell leader last year, now a third class petty officer in the navy, to lead a navy yell, followed by a cheer for the army. Later Anita and "Lefty" teamed together in a J.C. yell.

Anita proved her sportsmanship and courtesy at the half again when she led the Hollister rooters in their yell and had their yell leaders, in turn, lead Salinas rooters.

The Salinas Union High School Band was also on hand to play during the game and add pep to the rooting section and team.

S.J.C. G.I.

Last week's visitor at Salinas Junior College was Lieutenant **NEWTON WILEY**, former president of Agriculture at the college in 1940-41. He was also vice-president of the California Young Farmers' Association. Before his entrance into the service he was active in farming in Watsonville. Wiley enlisted in the army air corps before Pearl Harbor, and was assigned to active duty in the Aleutians where he has served served for the past nine months. He was a pilot on one of the bombers that bombed Kiska and Attu.

Lieutenant Wiley stated that the fire power was most concentrated that has been experienced in the war. He has been home on a three-week furlough and will soon be reporting back to Portland for a new assignment.

ALBERT GUNN has graduated from Lowry Field, Colorado, Armament School. He has been stationed at Santa Ana, Fresno, and at Buckley Field in Colorado. He was at Salinas Junior College in '43.

ART GANDY former student radio announcer for The Panther is now taking navy radio technical training in Chicago. This, after 10 months, will lead into radar and a naval commission.

A belated announcement has been received of the death of **Cpl. PETER DEVOE BRIGGS**, in a Japanese prison camps in the Philippines. Pete was a graduate of Salinas Junior College in 1941. Before his entrance into the army chemical warfare branch, of the army for service in the Philippines, he was stationed at Fort William McKinley near Manila.

A new list of Salinas Junior College Students in the armed forces has been made up to November 1, 1943.

When a previous tabulation was made, 696 was the total. Now there is an increase of 51 former S.J.C.'ers, which makes the total 747.

Twenty-four junior college students are now prisoners of war; 18 have died in service; 186 have been made commissioned officers. Serving in the navy are 144 men; in the army, 222; the marine corps, 9. There are 306 serving in the air corps, 60 of whom are

FORUM SERIES HELD; DR. HALL PRESIDES AT THIRD MEETING

On November 3, Wednesday evening of last week, a third forum in a series of four was held in the Choral Room of the Salinas Union High School from eight to ten o'clock.

The series is based on "Post-War Planning on Internal Problems of the United States." The speaker of the evening was Dr. Malcolm Davisson, chairman of the department of Economics of the University of California, whose topic was, "Where Is the Money Coming From?"

The forum series has been sponsored by the Salinas branch of the American Association of University Women and is presented by the evening school.

On the panel were Mr. William Irvine and Mr. M. B. Young. Dr. Luella J. Hall of S.J.C. presided over the meeting.

Following the lecture an hour of discussion between the speaker, panel, and audience was held.

For the last meeting of the series, the panel discussion will be on the topic, "Race—Unfinished Business of Democracy," and will be held Wednesday evening, November 17, at the same designated time and place. Problems of Negroes, Mexicans, and Filipinos will be discussed then.

in the naval air corps, 237 in the army air corps, and 9 in the marine air corps. A total of 24 are merchant seamen in the merchant marine. The Royal Air Force has claimed two, as did that of Canadian Royal Air Force. One member of S.J.C. is in the Canadian Army. Two men have gone into the Seabees, and 130 are cadets.

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Nurse Required Courses Listed

A larger number of students than ever before is this year preparing for nurse's training at Esjaysee. The stimulation for the need of so many nurses now is responsible.

Courses required are: Bacteriology and Anatomy, Psychology, Nutrition, and Biological Science considered for Hygiene. Some of these course requirements depend upon the different hospitals to be entered. Nurse students are also required to have had high school chemistry or take S.J.C. course of Chemistry 51A.

At the present time, 25 are taking Bacteriology and 47 are in Biological Science.

Bacteriology I is a study of theory during the fall term, and Bacteriology 4 consists of lab for the spring term. Biological Science 40A for the fall is Hygiene study and 40B in the spring is a survey of Biological Science.

JOBS

Part-Time Jobs Are Available; See Mrs. Gillis

Anyone wishing part-time work is urged to notify Mrs. Gillis, J.C. record clerk, as there are many unfilled positions for both men and women. Women are needed now for many bookkeeping and typing jobs, housework, clerking in the downtown stores, and many other jobs.

Service stations down town have asked for men for after-class and Saturday work. The college also needs men for work around the campus, four hours a days, at 75c per hour. There are also part-time clerking positions for the men, and various other jobs.

Anyone wishing to work during the Christmas holidays should also see Mrs. Gillis as there will be many stores requesting help at this time.

IDIOT'S DELIGHT

By JIM ARMSTRONG

In the soft light of morning, the lotus flowers drifted gently on the surface of the lake mirroring the rainbow image of Peony Hill. A sudden gust of breeze ruffled the surface, shattering the reflection and setting the water flowers a-tugging at their submerged stems. The brassy-edged boom of a great gong resounded through the lacquered corridors of the summer Palace. A wisp of incense was wafted out through the moon windows. The empress was on her way to the Hall of Audience.

The tall, yellow doors swung silently open and the imperial procession swept into the hall. A rustling sound filled the forest of red lacquer columns as the ranks of the nobles and courtiers sank in waves to the gleaming red floor of black marble. Thru this sea of gorgeously robed backs the procession moved the whole, seemingly interminable length of the hall to the foot of the throne. There the eunuchs gently set down the jeweled and silk-hung palanquin. The attendants, from the guards to imperial advisors and ministers, kow-towed deeply, as the empress parted the curtains, stepped down, and very stiffly mounted the steps to the throne of emerald jade. The gong sounded once more. Again the rustling filled the hall as the assembled court rose to its feet, surreptitiously straightening their ceremonial robes, straightening head-dresses, and stifling yawns for this new empress favored early hours, and her court was not yet quite used to it.

A deep silence pervaded the hall as the empress looked slowly over the assemblage, her eyes narrow and cruel in her mask-like face. The soft rustling click of the jewels in her ornate head-dress provided the underscoring for the movement. At length she summoned the court chamberlain for an accounting of the day's business.

The chamberlain, a noble grown old in the service of the Dragon Throne, shuffled to the foot of the throne and slowly unrolled a parchment scroll he was carrying. He opened his mouth to read, but nothing happened. An expression of horror overspread his countenance. He was going to yawn. He struggled. His facial muscles contorted themselves in spasms. But he yawned—longingly—loudly—widely—and

EYE
SPY

- The trouble with the not is that the up is always in an around
- because.

"Iecceeee Looooooove lieeeef! And I want to live! I luh-uh-uh-uh-uh-ve LIHHHEEEEEEEFFFFFFF!" All of which is quite cultural, do doubt, we told the private gremlin, but still and all, our ear drums could stand only so much. But he wouldn't stop, so touching a buzzer button made of a single ruby set in the solid-gold top of our desk, we summons our pocket fiend, horns, tail and all, to dispose of this nuisance. But they turned out to be second cousins by marriage and held a family reunion on the spot. But the spot still objected, so they moved to a hotel, which is just as well . . . and since that rhymes we consider ourselves a poet . . . moon . . . June . . . spoon . . . croon . . . soon . . . and O'Flagherity . . . Gad!" What feeling!

And feeling was high Saturday evening last neath the star-flecked canopy of Salinas fog as our unbeaten, untied, almost unscored upon team won its game with Hollister. Everyone lost his voice, and each beat the other black and blue and trotted straight over to BESSE (Cow-Cow-Boogie) COMINOS' house for a monster victory party. When asked who was present, Bessie said, "Oh, a lot of the J.C. gang, all the football team . . . both of them . . . a mess of Hollister guys and unknowns . . . and Jim Armstrong, who ate up all my cheese and crackers."

Mad passionate couples that evening were steadies LLOYD WESLEY and BARBARA BUSHNELL . . . el big permanent affair, or so it would seem and everyone is happy about it . . . LLOYD MARKS and BILLIE LEE . . . agin or still no one knows . . . NADANE SNIDER and MARTIN BLATT . . . GERALD PATRICK RYAN and MARY FITZBUCK . . . ZEA WHEELER and LEFTY SOMMERS . . MARY GOLDEN and TONY SANCHEZ . . GEORGE ELLIOT and DOLORES DI NAPOLI . . . and DEX WHITCOMBE and MAYRE DAVIES were pas a deux again despite those silver wings.

NORMA JO LADRA fluttered in and out all evening . . . and MINA HICKS and MIKE GABRIEL helped NADEAN HICKS comfort ELMER HAWKINS who was still woozy from that sock in the noggin on the field of battle. Dancing, dancing, dancing were jay-seers ETTA CLAUSEN, DAVID HILL, RUTH CRENSHAW, RUTH NEILSEN, LOIS GUNNELL, SYBIL WELLS, JEAN WALLACH, and BARBARA FOSTER. Old timers present included STAN FLECKNER . . . back from his onion-peeling escapades in navy school in San Luis . . . and BILL RYAN . . . who escorted Miss Crenshaw around . . . and around . . . and around.

The Fluttering Hearts Department was quite active over past weeks as **BILL GRUBER** returned to visit flame **BABETTE HAGERMAN**, and **RUTH NIELSEN'S** "Kenney" . . . tall, blond, and sailor suited . . . swept regally through the halls to the beat of excitable feminine hearts.

"MIRACLES OF MIRACLES" DEPARTMENT: LLOYD MARKS and GEORGI BROWN are on speaking terms again, at least it is reported that they were pattering down el main corridor ensemble l'autre jour, which is a good sign of something or other..

And, finally, El Big Passionate Passion to end all Passionate Passions came under our notice last week and we are assured of its complete authenticity. But . . . we . . . well . . . that is . . . well, we'll tell you about it later. It's rather personal.

directly into the empress's face.
 "Oooooooooh—ahhhhahhhh—aaa-
 hhhhhh!"

The empress was thunderstruck. She motioned to the guard. Such insolence could not go unpunished.

"Take this creature to the courtyard and—and—and—ooooohhhh—aaaaahhhh—aaaaahhhnnnn!" And the empress found herself lost in the middle of a yawn herself. She recovered herself and glanced sharply around the room.

"Ooooooh aaaah aaaaahn!" observed the guards.

"Ooooooh aaaaah aaaaahn!" remarked her ministers.

"Oooooooooh aaaaaah aaaaaahn!" opined the assembled courtiers.

And "Ooooooh aaaaah aaaahn!" went the empress all over again.

The entire assembled court was staggered. Everyone seemed to be yawning including the empress herself! What on earth—what on—what—Ooooooh—aaaaa hhhhhh!—aaaaaaaaahn!—Pardon us

PINK SLIPS ARE HERE AGAIN

Those little papers of doom have again been forced upon jaysee students, and again it is found that the men are leading in the number of cinch notices by a small majority as compared with last year. During the year of 1942, 47 per cent of the men enrolled in Esjaysee, and 36 per cent of the women received these little notes of advice. This year 26.75 per cent of the men, and 21.6 per cent of the women were informed of their shortcomings. This is a much better average and may be attributed to the serious attitude of jaysee students during this year of study.

Subscriptions For Paper Are Wide Spread

The subscribers of The Panther Sentinel are many indeed, and new subscriptions are coming in daily. All former students who wish to subscribe may send in the sum of one dollar and upon request will receive all of the papers printed up to date for this semester. Many of the former jaysee students in the armed forces have written to The Panther affirming how much the paper has meant to them.

Some of the names of former jaysee students and faculty, taken at random, are as follows: Lt. Col. R. J. Werner, New York City; Gertrude Lowe, Northampton, Massachusetts; Mrs. Luther White, New Castle, Delaware; D. A. Duerr, Carnden, South Carolina; Lashio Envkida, Denson, Arkansas; Pvt. Robert S. Clark, Denver, Colorado; Harold Stoughton, San Francisco, California; Walter C. Ells, Washington, D.C.; Ernest Faitos, Marshall, Missouri; and Ann Phillips, who is now working in the office of the station hospital at Camp Lockett at Boulevard, California.

Information seeping through the records about certain former inmates has caught our eye. It seems that V. Ayleen Dyche of Watsonville, has been employed by Coast Counties Gas and Electric Company for the past year; Bob E. Houx of King City, is overseas in the signal corps; R. J. Iliff of Salinas is training as an aviation cadet at Cal-Aero Flight Academy in Ontario, California;

—What on earth could be done. The rule of protocol and court etiquette did not cover such an occurrence. What then—Oooooo
aaaahhhnnnn!—pardon—were—
they—to—do—about—ZZZzzzzzz!

Panthers Take Season Opener From Hollister Ramblers in Salinas Bowl

Both Teams Featured Fast Breaking Plays in Grid Opener

Salinas Junior College, the only undefeated, untied and practically unscored upon college team on the coast, is now resting and rejoicing on the laurels of a hard-fought game, played with Hollister J.C. last Saturday night in the Salinas Lettuce Bowl. The Esjaysee Panthers eked out a 7-6 victory over the Ramblers from Hollister in the first of a series of two games scheduled between the two colleges. Highlighted by a wide variety of end runs, smashing line bucks, and recovered fumbles by both teams, the game proved exciting to the fifteen hundred fans gathered in the bowl.

After coming to within one foot of the Hollister goal in the second quarter, the Panthers fumbled and lost the opportunity to score, but after a fiery pep talk during the half from Coach Darwin Peavy, who did a meritorious job of putting a green bunch of boys into a smooth-working team, the spirited eleven drove deep into the Ramblers' territory immediately after the kickoff, and "Lefty" Sommers scooted through tackle and guard to score the first touchdown. The conversion point, which turned out to be the margin of victory, resulted from a pass, Fred Stone to Hollis Best. Hollister came back later in the last quarter to riddle the Salinas line with four successive first downs to chalk up six points. The conversion try, a line buck, was smothered by Salinas' two ends, Hollis Best and John Mulch.

Other highlights of the game were the passes from Stone to Mulch, the quick opening holes in the line, the long end sweeps, and in general the heads-up playing of the game which was consistently cheered by all who attended.

Having only 15 men on the Panther squad, the well coached team managed to pull through with only a few minor injuries, but no casualties. Elmer Hawkins took the beating for the night, twice having to be carried off the field, once being knocked out and once plagued with a bad leg. Gerry Ryan can be seen any time limping around with his rather touchy ankle. Aside from that, everyone is in good condition.

POST-WAR PLANS FOR J.C. EXTENSIVE

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larging the Science department and this will add a new wing to the college. This will include a new Chemistry laboratory, a physics laboratory and possibly a radio lab. Also on the schedule of new buildings is a new modern library which would contain many times the number of books that are in the present library.

The next building of the proposed enlarging plan will be of interest to everyone in Salinas, for it is to be a new large auditorium. The largest auditorium in Salinas at the present time is the Salinas Union High School auditorium and it is hardly large enough to accommodate the high school students alone. The proposed auditorium for S.J.C. would be the largest in Salinas and would be capable of seating at least 2,500 persons.

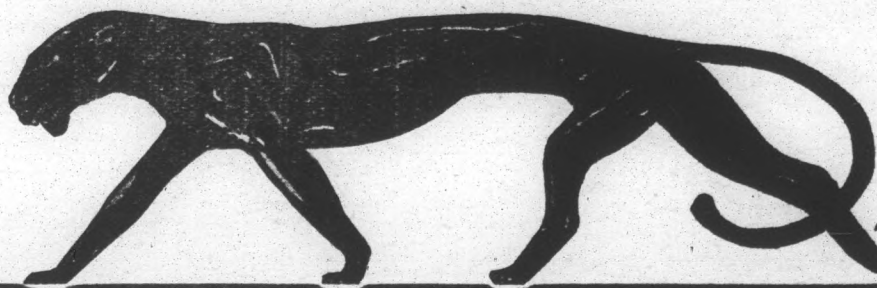
There is also a possibility of changing the Salinas Junior College into a full four-year college. The geographical location is almost perfect for such a change so it is perfectly feasible that such will eventually be the case.

There have been many questions as to whether or not the new courses which have been introduced into the curriculum because of pressing war needs will be continued or dropped. The answer is that such courses will either be held or dropped according to the needs of the time.

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credit for making the best of a situation. The student body deserves a resounding pat on their collective backs and we do not hesitate to administer it with gusto and predict even greater events for the future.



SPORTS

Panthers in Second Tangle With Heavy Hollister Gridders In Armistice Day Game

The Salinas Junior College Panthers were in full force when they tangled with the Hollister Ramblers for the second time in a week yesterday afternoon on the Hollister grid field for the Armistice Day encounter.

Finally recovering from his wrenched ankle, Gerry Ryan, a key man in the Panther line, was able to start the game in his regular position. Elmer Hawkins, long since recovered from his beating in the last game, was back in his quarterback position, calling signals for the Salinas

eleven. Tony Sanchez still has his arm in a cast and will probably not be able to play in any of the games for the rest of the season. These being the only cripples on the list, the Salinas gridgers going into the game were in better condition and were so much the wiser from their experience thus far in their brief season.

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orchestra and will begin preparations for a floor show.

Present at the meeting were Fred Bowles, Frosh class president; Clydene Merrill, accommodations chairman; Jim Armstrong, decorations chairman; Martin Blatt, entertainment chairman; Dexter Whitcombe, Serpentine and bonfire chairman; and Sybil Wells, Ruth Crenshaw, and Frosh class advisor, Mr. Bert Robinson.

The second nation-wide aptitude test for the army specialized training program and the navy V-12 was held last Tuesday, November 9, at 9:00 a.m. Fifteen students wishing to be classified as suitable material for further college education at the expense of the government took the exam.

Commission—

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of thanks to the Salinas Union High School for the gracious loan of their band for the football game Saturday evening.

Plans for the Winter Ball were then discussed and it was agreed that it must be held sometime shortly before Christmas vacation. It will be held either in the men's gymnasium or the library, depending upon the orchestra which they are able to secure. Mayre Davies, commissioner of social activities, appointed Jim Armstrong, commissioner of publications, as chairman of the decorations committee, and the meeting was adjourned.